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Hearing scheduled on proposed rules for youth options program

MADISON—The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction will conduct a hearing Sept. 5 at the agency headquarters in Madison to take public testimony on changes to administrative rules relating to the youth options program. The hearing will be held from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. in room 041 of the GEF 3 Building, 125 South Webster Street, Madison.

The youth options program allows 11th- and 12th-grade public high school students to enroll in a private college, university, technical college, or tribally controlled college to take one or more courses that earn both high school and college credit. The proposed rules bring language in the administrative code, PI 40, into compliance with state statute s.118.55 and make other technical changes.

The hearing site is fully accessible to people with disabilities. A copy of the administrative rule and fiscal estimate are available at < <http://www.dpi.wi.gov/pb/rulespg.html> >. Copies of these materials also are available by sending an e-mail request to < lori.slauson@dpi.state.wi.us > or by writing to Lori Slauson, administrative rules and federal grants coordinator, DPI, 125 South Webster Street, P.O. Box 7841, Madison, WI 53707-7841.

Written comments on the proposed rules may be submitted via U.S. mail or e-mail to the addresses above. Written comments are due no later than Sept. 12 and will be given the same consideration as testimony presented at the hearing.

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